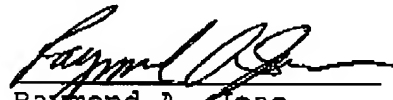


REMARKS

Claims 31, 33, 34, 39, 42, 44, 45, 50-59, 61, 62, and 65 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, Applicant has amended Claim 59, Applicant has cancelled Claim 60, without prejudice, and Applicant has added new Claim 65. Applicant respectfully submits that the amendment to Claim 59 does not contain new matter. Applicant further submits that newly added independent Claim 65 does not contain new matter. Applicant respectfully submits that the present invention, as defined by Claims 31, 33, 34, 39, 42, 44, 45, 50-59, 61, 62, and 65, is patentable over the prior art.

In view of the foregoing, the application is deemed to be in condition for allowance and action to that end is respectfully requested. Allowance of pending Claims 31, 33, 34, 39, 42, 44, 45, 50-59, 61, 62, and 65 is respectfully requested.

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